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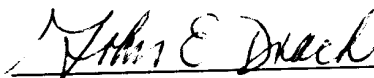
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All the references are in English and/or are cited in an accompanying English language version of a search report by another patent office, so that comment on the references by the applicant is not required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a).

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